## BEFORE THE FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

In the Matter of	)	
	)	MUR 7133
Paul R. Chabot; Paul Chabot Congress	)	
and Kelly Lawler in her official capacity	)	
as treasurer	)	·

## **CERTIFICATION**

- I, Laura E. Sinram, recording secretary of the Federal Election Commission executive session, do hereby certify that on March 06, 2018, the Commission took the following actions in the above-captioned matter:
  - 1. Failed by a vote of 2-2 to:
    - a. Find reason to believe that Paul Chabot Congress and Kelly Lawler in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(b).
    - b. Take no action at this time with respect to Paul R. Chabot.
    - c. Authorize the use of compulsory process, as necessary.
    - d. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated May 18, 2017.
    - e. Approve the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Walther and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the motion.

Commissioners Hunter and Petersen dissented.

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- 2. Failed by a vote of 2-2 to:
  - a. Find no reason to believe that Paul Chabot Congress and Kelly Lawler in her official capacity as treasurer violated 52 U.S.C. § 30104(b).
  - b. Find no reason to believe that Paul R. Chabot in his personal capacity violated the law.
  - c. Approve the Factual and Legal Analysis, as recommended in the First General Counsel's Report dated May 18, 2017 and was last circulated by Commissioner Petersen's Office on March 6, 2018 at 10:20 a.m.
  - d. Approve the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Hunter and Petersen voted affirmatively for the motion. Commissioners Walther and Weintraub dissented.

- 3. Decided by a vote of 4-0 to:
  - a. Close the file.
  - b. Send the appropriate letters.

Commissioners Hunter, Petersen, Walther, and Weintraub voted affirmatively for the decision.

Attest:

Laura E. Sinram

Deputy Secretary of the Commission